

Contribute to the Economy of Loudoun County

Serve on the Economic Development Commission . . .

The Loudoun County Economic Development Commission (EDC) expects several openings for terms beginning in January 2007. Leaders from all sectors of the local business community are encouraged to apply.

Please send a Letter of Interest
describing how
you would contribute
with a resume or bio.

***Due by 5 p.m.
Friday, September 15, 2006***

Send to:

**EDC Nominating Committee
c/o Debra B. Jenkins
Loudoun County Dept. of Economic Development
1 Harrison Street, SE, Mail Stop Code # 63
Leesburg, VA 20175**

EDC voting members contribute their time and ideas to promote business growth, strengthen Loudoun County's economy, and preserve a high quality of life for its residents.

The Commission's responsibilities include:

- Developing, updating and implementing the community's Economic Development Strategic Plan.
- Providing program and policy recommendations to the Loudoun County Board of Supervisors.
- Coordinating economic development and marketing activities among groups in the county.
- Providing the Department of Economic Development with ongoing support and oversight.

The EDC:

Established in 1995 by Loudoun County's Board of Supervisors, the EDC is a public/private partnership responsible for promoting the economic development of Loudoun County. The Commission serves as a forum through which business and government leaders meet to exchange ideas and experiences about business growth in the county.

Organized with twenty-seven voting members, the EDC features representatives from diverse industries such as: aerospace, agribusiness, banking & finance, higher education, manufacturing, professional services, real estate development, retail, small business and telecommunications. Additional commissioners include elected officials and ex-officio members representing key economic development businesses and organizations. The Commission also has several classes of non-voting members including standing advisory members, specially appointed advisory members, and members emeritus.

County Government

● Get involved

There are currently vacancies for representatives on the following county and regional advisory boards, commissions and committees:

- Agricultural District Advisory Committee: One at-large landowner engaged in agriculture or forestal production and one at-large local landowner.

- Animal Advisory Committee: Broad Run District

- Commission on Aging: Sterling District

- Committee on Financial Performance Audit: Seeking eight district-specific and three at-large members to serve on a blue-ribbon panel to work in conjunction with the Board's External Auditor, KPMG, on a financial performance audit of Loudoun Public Schools and the Loudoun County Government. Interested candidates with financial management background are encouraged to apply.

- Community Action Agency Advisory Board: Three at-large low-income representatives

- Community Services Board: At-large representatives

- Commuter Bus Advisory Board: Potomac District

- Disability Services Board: At-large business representatives or representatives who have a disability or who have a family member with a disability

- Economic Development Commission: Leaders from all sectors of the business community are encouraged to apply for terms beginning in January 2007.

- Equal Employment Opportunity Plan Committee: At-large representatives

- Fire-Rescue Commission: Two Emergency Medical

Services representatives; one fire representative. Representatives must be volunteers within the Fire-Rescue system.

- Historic District Review Committee: At-large representative

- Library Board of Trustees: Potomac District

- Rural Economic Development Commission: Representatives with expertise in production agriculture, banking

and finance, horticulture or the equine industry

- Transportation Safety Commission: At-large representative

- Woods Road Special Exception Oversight Committee: At-large representatives

For information about specific vacancies, contact Cherie Giles, Board of Supervisors' Office, 703-771-5034, or by e-mail at fgiles@loudoun.gov or by fax at 703-777-0421.

CONTRIBUTE - TO THE - LOCAL ECONOMY

Loudoun County Economic Development Commission (EDC) is seeking volunteers to be part of a dynamic organization. Three positions will be available starting January 1, 2007.

The EDC is seeking committed individuals who can devote time and talent to implement the County's Economic Development Strategic Plan.
For more information go to www.loudoun.gov/edc

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